

The question is on the engrossment and third reading of the bill.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the third time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the bill.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. SMITH of Washington. Madam Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 3(s) of House Resolution 8, the yeas and nays are ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 316, nays 113, not voting 2, as follows:

[Roll No. 293]

YEAS—316

Adams	Delgado	Joyce (PA)
Aguilar	Demings	Kahele
Allen	DesJarlais	Kaptur
Allred	Deutch	Katko
Amodei	Diaz-Balart	Keating
Axne	Dingell	Keller
Bacon	Doggett	Kelly (IL)
Baird	Dunn	Kelly (MS)
Balderson	Elizy	Kelly (PA)
Banks	Escobar	Kilmer
Barr	Eshoo	Kim (CA)
Barragán	Evans	Kim (NJ)
Bass	Fallon	Kind
Beatty	Feenstra	Kinzing
Bentz	Ferguson	Kirkpatrick
Bera	Fitzgerald	Krishnamoorthi
Bergman	Fitzpatrick	Kuster
Beyer	Fleischmann	Kustoff
Bice (OK)	Fletcher	LaHood
Bilirakis	Foster	Lamb
Bishop (GA)	Fox	Lamborn
Blumenauer	Frankel, Lois	Langevin
Blunt Rochester	Franklin, C.	Larsen (WA)
Bost	Scott	Larson (CT)
Bourdeaux	Gaetz	Latta
Boyle, Brendan	Gallagher	LaTurner
F.	Gallgo	Lawrence
Brady	Garamendi	Lawson (FL)
Brown	Garbarino	Lee (NV)
Brownley	Garcia (CA)	Leger Fernandez
Buchanan	Garcia (TX)	Letlow
Bucshon	Gibbs	Levin (CA)
Bustos	Gimenez	Lieu
Butterfield	Golden	Lofgren
Calvert	Gonzales, Tony	Long
Cammack	Gonzalez (OH)	Lucas
Carbajal	Gonzalez,	Luetkemeyer
Cárdenas	Vicente	Luria
Carl	Gottheimer	Lynch
Carson	Granger	Mace
Carter (GA)	Graves (LA)	Malinowski
Carter (LA)	Graves (MO)	Malliotakis
Carter (TX)	Green (TN)	Maloney, Sean
Cartwright	Green, Al (TX)	Mann
Case	Grijalva	Manning
Casten	Guthrie	Matsui
Castor (FL)	Harder (CA)	McBath
Castro (TX)	Harshbarger	McCarthy
Cawthorn	Hartzler	McCauley
Cheney	Hayes	McClain
Chu	Herrera Beutler	McCollum
Cicilline	Higgins (NY)	McEachin
Cleaver	Hill	McHenry
Clyburn	Himes	McKinley
Cole	Hinson	McNerney
Connolly	Hollingsworth	Meeks
Cooper	Horsford	Meijer
Correa	Houlahan	Meuser
Costa	Hoyer	Mfume
Courtney	Hudson	Miller (WV)
Craig	Huffman	Miller-Meeks
Crawford	Issa	Moolenaar
Crenshaw	Jackson	Moore (UT)
Crist	Jackson Lee	Morelle
Crow	Jacobs (NY)	Moulton
Cuellar	Jeffries	Mrvan
Davids (KS)	Johnson (GA)	Murphy (FL)
Davis, Rodney	Johnson (LA)	Murphy (NC)
Dean	Johnson (OH)	Nadler
DeGette	Johnson (SD)	Napolitano
DeLauro	Johnson (TX)	Neal
DeBene	Joyce (OH)	Neguse

Newhouse	Scalise	Thompson (MS)
Newman	Scanlon	Thompson (PA)
Norcross	Schiff	Titus
Nunes	Schneider	Tonko
O'Halleran	Schrader	Torres (CA)
Obernolte	Schrier	Trahan
Panetta	Scott (VA)	Trone
Pappas	Scott, Austin	Turner
Pascarell	Scott, David	Underwood
Payne	Sewell	Upton
Pence	Sherman	Valadao
Perlmutter	Sherrill	Van Drew
Peters	Simpson	Van Dwyne
Pfleger	Sires	Vargas
Phillips	Slotkin	Veasey
Pingree	Smith (NE)	Vela
Porter	Smith (NJ)	Velázquez
Price (NC)	Smith (WA)	Wagner
Quigley	Soto	Walberg
Reed	Spanberger	Walorski
Reschenthaler	Spartz	Waltz
Rice (NY)	Speier	Wasserman
Rodgers (WA)	Stansbury	Schultz
Rogers (AL)	Stanton	Waters
Rogers (KY)	Stauber	Wenstrup
Ross	Steel	Westerman
Rouzer	Stefanik	Wexton
Roybal-Allard	Steil	Wild
Ruiz	Stevens	Wilson (FL)
Ruppersberger	Strickland	Wilson (SC)
Rush	Suozzi	Wittman
Ryan	Swalwell	Womack
Salazar	Takano	Yarmuth
Sánchez	Tenney	Young
Sarbanes	Thompson (CA)	

NAYS—113

Aderholt	Garcia (IL)	Nehls
Armstrong	Gohmert	Norman
Arrington	Gomez	Ocasio-Cortez
Auchincloss	Good (VA)	Omar
Babin	Gooden (TX)	Owens
Biggs	Gosar	Palazzo
Bishop (NC)	Griffith	Pallone
Boebert	Grothman	Palmer
Bonamici	Guest	Perry
Bowman	Hagedorn	Pocan
Brooks	Harris	Posey
Buck	Hern	Pressley
Budd	Herrell	Raskin
Burchett	Hice (GA)	Rice (SC)
Burgess	Higgins (LA)	Rose
Bush	Huizenga	Rosendale
Chabot	Jacobs (CA)	Roy
Clark (MA)	Jayapal	Rutherford
Clarke (NY)	Jones	Schakowsky
Cline	Jordan	Schweikert
Cloud	Khanna	Sessions
Clyde	Kildee	Smith (MO)
Cohen	LaMalfa	Smucker
Comer	Lee (CA)	Steube
Curtis	Levin (MI)	Stewart
Davidson	Loudermilk	Taylor
Davis, Danny K.	Lowenthal	Tiffany
DeFazio	Maloney,	Timmons
DeSaulnier	Carolyn B.	Tlaib
Donalds	Massie	Torres (NY)
Doyle, Michael	Mast	Watson Coleman
F.	McClintock	Weber (TX)
Duncan	McGovern	Webster (FL)
Emmer	Meng	Welch
Espallat	Miller (IL)	Williams (GA)
Estes	Mooney	Williams (TX)
Fischbach	Moore (AL)	Zeldin
Fortenberry	Moore (WI)	
Fulcher	Mullin	

NOT VOTING—2

Greene (GA)

Lesko

□ 2102

Ms. MENG changed her vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Mrs. CAMMACK changed her vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The title of the bill was amended so as to read: “A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2022 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military

personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.”

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

#### PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mrs. LESKO. Madam Speaker, had I been present, I would have voted “yea” on rollcall No. 275, “nay” on rollcall No. 276, “nay” on rollcall No. 277, “nay” on rollcall No. 278, “nay” on rollcall No. 279, “nay” on rollcall No. 280, “nay” on rollcall No. 281, “nay” on rollcall No. 282, “nay” on rollcall No. 283, “nay” on rollcall No. 284, “nay” on rollcall No. 285, “nay” on rollcall No. 286, “nay” on rollcall No. 287, “yea” on rollcall No. 288, “yea” on rollcall No. 289, “yea” on rollcall No. 290, “nay” on rollcall No. 291, “nay” on rollcall No. 292, and “nay” on rollcall No. 293.

#### MEMBERS RECORDED PURSUANT TO HOUSE RESOLUTION 8, 117TH CONGRESS

Babin (Nehls)	Kim (NJ)	Porter (Wexton)
Boyle, Brendan	(Underwood)	Reschenthaler
F. (Jeffries)	Kirkpatrick	(Meuser)
Carter (TX)	(Levin (CA))	Rice (SC)
(Calvert)	Latta (Walberg)	(Timmons)
DeFazio (Brown)	Lawson (FL)	Rush
DeSaulnier	(Evans)	(Underwood)
(Thompson	McEachin	Ryan (Kildee)
(CA))	(Wexton)	Sewell (Cicilline)
Escobar (Garcia	McHenry (Banks)	Stanton (Levin
(TX))	Meeks (Jeffries)	(CA))
Frankel, Lois	Meng (Jeffries)	Stefanik (Miller-
(Clark (MA))	Morelle (Tonko)	Meeks)
Fulcher (Johnson	Napolitano	Strickland
(OH))	(Correa)	(Torres (NY))
Grijalva (Garcia	Norman	Swalwell
(IL))	(Timmons)	(Veasey)
Higgins (NY)	Payne	Wagner
(Tonko)	(Wasserman	(Walorski)
Issa (Calvert)	Schultz	Wilson (FL)
Johnson (TX)	Perlmutter	(Hayes)
(Jeffries)	(Neguse)	

#### AUTHORIZING THE CLERK TO MAKE CORRECTIONS IN ENGROSSMENT OF H.R. 4350, NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022

Mr. SMITH of Washington. Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Clerk be authorized to make technical corrections in the engrossment of H.R. 4350, including corrections in spelling, punctuation, section and title numbering, cross-referencing, conforming amendments to the table of contents and short titles, and the insertion of appropriate headings.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Washington?

There was no objection.

#### NEW MEXICO WELCOMES TEXAS WOMEN

(Mrs. LEGER FERNANDEZ asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mrs. LEGER FERNANDEZ. Madam Speaker, I stand today in support of the Women's Health Protection Act.

New Mexico is a border State with Texas. Because of the draconian Texas abortion ban, Texas women are driving hours to receive reproductive healthcare in New Mexico.

We are receiving women's rights refugees, our Texas sisters, with open arms, open hearts, and open clinics.

New Mexico knows that a woman's freedom to make difficult health decisions belongs to her alone. In contrast,

Texas politicians deputized complete strangers to interfere with her health choices.

Texas' abortion ban falls most heavily on minority, LGBTQ, and low-income communities who can't afford to travel or access quality healthcare.

I trust in the wisdom of my House colleagues, who, in passing the Women's Health Protection Act, are standing with the women of this country in every State.

#### HONORING THE LIFE OF ANNE MUELLER

(Mr. CARTER of Georgia asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. CARTER of Georgia. Madam Speaker, I rise today with a heavy heart to remember and honor Anne Mueller of Savannah, Georgia, who, sadly, passed away on September 15 at the age of 91.

Anne devoted her life to serving her community and the State of Georgia.

After graduating from the University of Georgia in 1951, Anne began an impactful career as a State representative, where she served for 20 years.

Beyond her service as a State representative, Anne was actively involved in improving the Savannah community.

As a board member of the Savannah-Chatham Humane Society and member of the Savannah Cultural Affairs Commission, Anne touched countless lives.

Anne's passion for others is remarkable, and I know her impact will never be forgotten. Her irreplaceable presence will be missed by all.

I am honored to rise today to remember Anne and her lifetime of service to her community.

My thoughts and prayers are with her family, friends, and all who knew her during this most difficult time.

□ 2110

#### CRISIS AT THE BORDER

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Ms. LEGER FERNANDEZ). Under the Speaker's announced policy of January 4, 2021, the gentleman from Texas (Mr. ROY) is recognized until 10 p.m. as the designee of the minority leader.

Mr. ROY. Madam Speaker, while the Members of the United States Congress exit the Chamber, as they often do after whatever the majority deems appropriate to have on the floor of the House—which there was obviously the important National Defense Authorization Act—nevertheless, in my home State of Texas, the people of Texas are under siege with wide open borders.

And so right now, as we have Members of Congress, all 400 and something of my colleagues, who just left the Chamber, they are going off now to go have a steak dinner, go have a glass of wine, go hang out with some of their colleagues, meet up with some folks here in the District of Columbia.

But some 1,500 or maybe more miles away in Texas, we have a State and a people who are dealing with the consequences of an administration that fails to faithfully execute the laws of the United States and leaves Texas wide open to be harmed, endangered, and nobody in this body on the other side of the aisle seems to care in the slightest bit.

I went down to south Texas a couple weeks ago with my friend, Senator TED CRUZ. We met with ranchers in Roma, Texas. We met with leaders and ranchers and law enforcement in Uvalde, Texas. We met with the leaders of Webb County in Laredo, Texas. We went down to McAllen, Texas. All places that President Joe Biden has seemingly never been to in his 50 years of public service. Certainly hasn't been there since he has been President.

The Vice President of the United States, who is allegedly in charge of the border, hasn't found her way to any of these places that I visited a mere 2 weeks ago.

The vast majority of my colleagues on the other side of the aisle haven't found their way. Of course, one of my colleagues, the gentlewoman from New York, a couple years ago somewhat famously found her way down to the border to decry, quote, kids in cages.

Where is that colleague today? Wearing perhaps an all-white outfit with red letters on it.

Where is the concern for the little girls whose legs have been branded, burned by cartels?

Where is the concern for the 89 dead migrants, bodies found in Brooks County, Texas? 89. Where is the concern?

My colleagues on the other side of the aisle like to go around talking about how compassionate they are for those seeking to come to the United States. They suggest that those of us who believe that the border should be secure don't want Brown people in the United States. That is what they not only imply, that is basically what they say.

Meanwhile, there are a hell of a lot of Brown people in south Texas who are getting pretty ticked off at an administration that refuses to actually secure the border while their families are in danger.

There are a whole lot of Brown people who work for the Border Patrol who are feeling pretty darn unappreciated right now, when the White House press secretary lies to the American people. The White House press secretary lies on a daily basis to the American people.

Lie number one, perpetuating the lie that Border Patrol was whipping migrants. It is a lie, and it is being repeated by my colleagues on the other side of the aisle. It is a lie. The President of the United States and those in charge of the press secretary are countenancing this lie about Border Patrol.

This picture I am standing next to is a picture of Border Patrol with one of their horses, interacting with a young

boy, who is one of the migrants from Haiti who is down in Del Rio.

The young fellow is having a good time with this Border Patrol agent down on his knees. The Border Patrol agent is a man, probably with a family. I don't know how old he is.

But I know a lot of Border Patrol agents because I actually go there. I don't just dismiss Border Patrol agents as some sort of callous individuals who don't care about human beings. But that is what my colleagues on the other side of the aisle do every single day, led by the President of the United States with a voice from a press secretary who lies every single day about the state of our border, who lies every single day about the actions of Border Patrol.

And then today, they had the audacity to take away horses, at least in the Del Rio sector—I haven't been able to look at the entire order—take away horses and the ability of Border Patrol to actually try to patrol the border. This coming from people who have never been to the dadgum border.

There are no navigable roads along the river. My Democrat colleagues don't care. My Democrat colleagues don't care that Border Patrol can't run along the river. You would think—at least in their politically correct nonsense they espouse every day—that they wouldn't want them to have to use automobiles, that maybe they could use horses to go down to the river.

Not one of my colleagues on the other side of the aisle goes down and meets with the ranchers, the Border Patrol agents who are dealing with the actual outcome, the actual result of an administrative policy to leave our borders wide open.

In the State of Texas, the Department of Public Safety has caught over 400 pounds of fentanyl this year, compared to 10 pounds last year. Dead Texans. Dead Texans as a direct result of this administration's refusal, flat-out refusal to faithfully execute the laws of the United States.

A Sweet'N Low packet of fentanyl in pure form would kill every member of this body in this room. Certainly a few packets would. 10,000 pounds of fentanyl has been intercepted this year. More than the last 3 years combined.

Where are my Democratic colleagues? I asked this question when I was in Laredo 2 weeks ago when I was standing next to the Hispanic county judge of Webb County. A county judge in Texas is the chief administrator of the county. I asked, Where is Joe Biden? When he got up to the podium, he said, That is a great question, Where is Joe Biden?

Well, if Joe Biden knows where he is, it would be helpful. He sure as heck is not down at the border. He is sure as heck not down in Laredo, and his policies are abandoning the people of Laredo and abandoning the people of Texas.